

## House Resolution No. 2598

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State residents who have demonstrated exceptional commitment to their local communities and neighborhoods through participation in a number of diverse service venues; and

**Whereas**, Maxine Bradshaw has attained considerable distinction as an employee of R&R Ace who has garnered accolades and honors as the recipient of an Outstanding Public Service Award; and

**Whereas**, Maxine Bradshaw was presented with her Outstanding Public Service Award plaque at an awards ceremony conducted on March 29, 2003, at the St. Clair Elks Lodge by the St. Clair Area Chamber of Commerce; and

**Whereas**, employed by R&R Ace since 1983, Maxine Bradshaw has provided two generations with assistance on the sizing and fit of America's favorite clothing item, the ubiquitous, long-lasting, and exceedingly comfortable casual and work pants known as blue jeans; and

**Whereas**, Maxine Bradshaw developed into an excellent salesperson by learning all the features and benefits of her clothing products, attending trade shows, and listening to her customers; and

**Whereas**, more recently Maxine Bradshaw has slightly shifted the focus of her efforts to the R&R fabric department where she has developed a devoted following among quilters and crafters who often ask for her by name when they need assistance; and

**Whereas**, Maxine Bradshaw is an exceptional employee who serves as a model for all to emulate by her successful quest in attracting new shoppers from throughout Franklin and St. Louis counties and then turning them into friends and satisfied repeat customers:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved selection of Maxine Bradshaw for the inaugural Outstanding Public Service Award from the St. Clair Area Chamber of Commerce and to convey to her this legislative body's heartiest congratulations and best wishes for continued personal and professional success for many more years to come; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Maxine Bradshaw of R&R Ace in St. Clair, Missouri.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Brian Nieves  
District No. 98

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2598, adopted May 7, 2003.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker